

Said resolutions were then read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

On motion by Mr. Stevens, (by unanimous consent,) it was

Ordered, That Senator Joyce have leave of absence for a few days to enable him to attend to his duties as Chief Marshal of the procession, and celebration to be held in Baltimore in honor of the memory of Saint Patrick.

On motion by Mr. Gorman,

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the order of the day, being the

House bill entitled an Act to repeal chapter 3, of the Acts of 1874, entitled an Act to limit the hours of labor in this State, for all minors under 16 years of age, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Being upon its third reading,

Mr. Brewer submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Section 1, strike out "sixteen," and insert "fourteen."

Which was rejected by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Bannon,
Brewer,
Dennis,

Lawrence,
Phelps—5.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Aydelotte,
Cooper,
Freeman,
Gorman,
Hepbron,
Humphreys,

Knight,
Lee,
Lloyd,
Mudd,
Newcomer,
Stevens,
Steiner—14.

Said bill was then read the third time and passed by yeas and nays as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. President,
Aydelotte,
Brewer,
Cooper,
Dennis,
Freeman,
Gorman,
Humphreys,

Knight,
Lee,
Lloyd,
Mudd,
Newcomer,
Stevens,
Steiner—15.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Bannon,
Lawrence,

Phelps—3.

Said bill was then returned to the House of Delegates.